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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
**Ronnie C. Hanecak, et al.**

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**For: MODULATION TELOMERE LENGTH BY OLIGONUCLEOTIDES  
HAVING A G-CORE SEQUENCE**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

This is a reply to the Office Action mailed September 27, 2005 setting a three (3) month statutory period for response. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee which may be required except the issue fee to Deposit Account No. 500252. Please enter the following amendments and remarks into the record.

**Amendments to the Specification.** There are no amendments to the specification.

**Amendments to the Claims.** A corrected listing of the claims beings on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.